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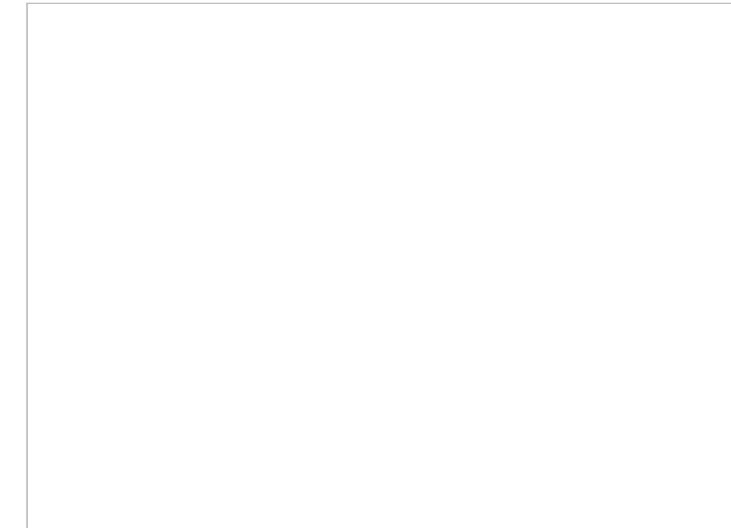
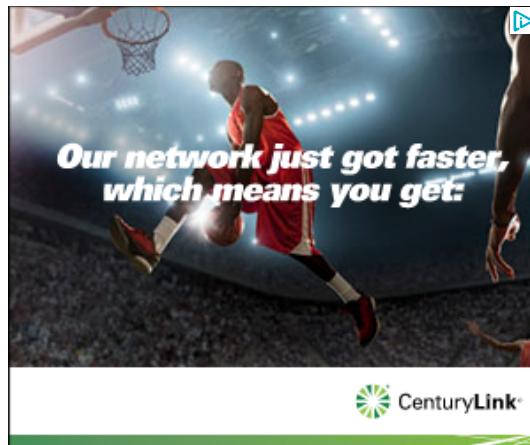
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Top 10 Free Plagiarism Detection Tools For eLearning Professionals (2017 Update)

Are you trying to discover the most effective free plagiarism detection tools? Plagiarism is a highly intolerable act in the literary and digital community; a practice that all reputable individuals and companies are trying to avoid. In this article, I'll present the top 10 free plagiarism detection tools that will help all eLearning professionals give credit where credit is due.



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Top Free Plagiarism Detection Tools eLearning Professionals Should Have In Mind

Modern technology and the development of Internet have given us access to tons of information any time we desire it and from any place on the planet. Original ideas tend to become rarer and rarer. Everybody seems to be reproducing other people's ideas and presenting them as their own. Although this practice is not anything new, a lot of people might argue that nowadays it has reached its peak. In this article, I'll highlight the top 10 [free plagiarism detection tools](#) that will allow eLearning professionals to tackle the plagiarism nightmare.

1. Dupli Checker

This is one of the most effective free plagiarism detection tools on the Internet. While it doesn't have a fancy interface, it certainly gets the job done well.

Pros

- **Free Of Charge**

You don't have to pay anything. Whether you are a one-time user or plan to make the most of this free plagiarism detection tool on a daily basis, you are not required to pay for subscription.

- **Ease Of Use**

You are presented with a very basic, functional layout that does not require for any previous experience with plagiarism detection tools.

- **2 Ways To Check For Plagiarism**

Duplichecker enables you to either copy and paste your text in the field and then check it for plagiarisms, or [upload](#) a Docx or Text file from your computer.

- **50 Plagiarism Scans Per Day For Registered Users**

If you [sign up](#) for free, Duplichecker allows you to do 50 plagiarism checks in a single day.

Cons

- **1 Search Per Day For Unregistered Users**

If you choose not to indulge in a free sign-up then you are limited to only 1 plagiarism check per day.

Plans And Pricing

- No paid version is available.

2. Copyleaks

This cloud-based authentication platform enables you to track how eLearning content is being used all around the Internet.

Pros

- **For Education And Business**

Different sections on the platform for educational and business purposes. The business section addresses to publishers and SEO agencies, while the education section to schools, students and universities.

- **Multiple File Formats And Languages**

Copyleaks is able to scan content in various file formats and all Unicode languages.

- **Variety Of Tools**

Copyleaks allows you to use the API tool to search for plagiarized [eLearning content](#) all over the Internet. It also offers a mobile app along with an MS Office add-on, which you can use to check for plagiarisms as you are writing a document on MS Word.

Cons

- **You Can Use It Only After You Sign Up**

Unfortunately, you need to create an [account](#) for free first, in order to search for plagiarized eLearning content.

- **Free Page Restriction**

Only the first 10 pages are for free.

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- **For Businesses**

If you sign up for free you are allowed to check 2,500 words per month. There are flexible subscription plans starting from \$9,99 per month to check up to 25,000 words without day limit. You may also choose to give a prepaid amount of money once that corresponds to specific number of words to be checked monthly.

- **For Education**

The Free package works the same as for businesses. Starting from \$10,99 you can check for up to 25,000 words. The prepaid option for business, is also available here.

3. PaperRater

A multi-purpose free plagiarism detection tool that is used in over 140 countries.

Pros

- **3 Tools In 1: Proofreader & Grammar Check, Vocabulary Builder, Plagiarism Checker**

If you need to check your text for grammar mistakes, have it proofread with suggestions for different wording, or have it checked for plagiarism, this is the tool.

- **Developed By Industry Experts**

Developed by a team of computational linguists and subject matter experts.

- **Fast Results**

PaperRater boasts accurate results in seconds.

Cons

- **No Ability To Save Reports**

If you are looking to store result report, then you are out of luck here.

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- **Basic**

Free of charge, submissions of up to 5 pages, grammar and spelling check, writing suggestions tool and automated scoring.

- **Premium**

\$7,95 per month or \$95,40 per year. All above features included plus proofreader with simultaneous plagiarism check, no ads, file uploading ability and faster processing times.

4. Plagiarisma

Basic and easy-to-use, multi-purpose plagiarism detection tool that is used by students, teachers, writers, as well as various members of the literary industry.

Pros

- **190+ Languages Supported**

There is virtually no language excluded from the list.

- **Plagiarism Check By URL, Online Or File Upload**

Copy and Paste or Type your text in the appropriate field, provide a URL, or upload a file from your computer. Supported file types include: TXT, HTML, RTF, DOC, DOCX, XLS, XLSX, PDF, ODT, EPUB, FB2, PDB.

- **Firefox And Chrome Extensions**

Have your text quickly checked by downloading the add-ons.

Cons

- **Limited Plagiarism Checks Per Day**

If you are looking for a tool for extensive use then look somewhere else. The free version has a limited number of plagiarism checks.

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- **Variety Of Plans**

Free version of Plagiarisma offers all the aforementioned benefits. If registered, you can upgrade to Premium Membership. Pricing plans start from \$5 for one day for up to 100 searches. For unlimited searches, there is a \$25 or \$30 subscription for 3 or 6 months, respectively. For up to 25 users, there is a fixed monthly subscription of \$25 for unlimited number of searches.

5. Plagiarism Checker

User-friendly, entirely free plagiarism detection tool to check whether content is plagiarized.

Pros

- **Detailed Guidelines**

One of the easiest to use free plagiarism detection tools due to its step-by-step approach on how to use it.

- **Check If Others Have Plagiarized Your Online Content**

Click on the “For authors” option to check whether they have plagiarized your content and posted it on the Internet. You may also get a notification by email.

- **Entirely Online**

No downloads required.

Cons

- **Supports Only Google Or Yahoo Browsers**

If you are using none of those 2 browsers then you might want to look elsewhere

Plans And Pricing

- Free of charge.

6. Plagium

Basic but fully functional free plagiarism detection tool with different levels of search.

Pros

- **Easy to use**

You basically copy-paste text. It features 2 types of searches, quick search and deep search.

- **Free For Up To 5,000 Characters Each Time**

For up to 5,000 characters per search you don't have to pay any fee.

Cons

- **Limited Free Features**

Only if you sign up you can upload your file, have it checked, and receive a word usage report on it.

Plans And Pricing

- **Quick Search And Deep Search Offers**

If you are a frequent user of the platform, Plagium urges you to pay for a subscription. For \$9,99 per month you can do 287 Quick Searches and 143 Deep Searches. For \$24,99 per month you can do 699 Quick Searches and 349 Deep Searches. The last option is a \$99,99 per month subscription which offers 2,949 Quick Searches and 1,474 Deep Searches.

7. PlagScan

Plagiarism detection tool for both individuals and businesses that checks texts against online content, scientific journals and the user's documents as well.

Pros

- **Fully Online**

No download required.

- **3 Ways To Do Plagiarism Checks**

You can select from: a) directly pasting your text into the appropriate field, b) importing the file from the web by entering its URL at the indicated area, or uploading it from a cloud storage area such as Dropbox, Google Drive, or OneDrive, c) uploading a file from your desktop.

- **No Subscriptions For Private Users**

The user pays on-demand according to their respective needs.

- **Integration Features**

Businesses can integrate Plagscan into several Content and Learning Management Systems (CMS/LMS).

Cons

- **Relatively Complicated Interface**

As opposed to competitive platforms the interface seems quite advanced.

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- **Private Users**

Starts from \$5,99 per month with online storage time for up to 6 months.

- **Organizations**

Accounts for schools, universities or companies start from \$19,99 per month with unlimited online storage time along with a variety of administration and cloud features.

8. PlagTracker

Fast free plagiarism detection tool that searches both websites and academic databases by copying and pasting text, or file uploading.

Pros

- **Addressing To Different User Groups**

Students, teachers, publishers and site owners can take advantage of Plagtracker.

- **Detailed Reports**

The user gets informed as to what parts need to be cited and a list of sources to be used.

- **6 Languages Supported**

Check your eLearning content in English, French, Spanish, German, Romanian and Italian.

Cons

- **No File Upload In Free Version**

You have to purchase a premium package to have your file uploaded and checked.

Plans And Pricing

- **One Premium Offer**

For \$7,49 per month you can upload and check larger files with faster processing times, grammar checks and unlimited checking volume for multiple documents.

9. Quetext

Basic layout and functional interface that checks against the Internet, as well as various databases.

Pros

- **No Subscriptions**

Quetext is entirely free.

- **Unlimited Usage**

No account, registration or downloads needed.

Cons

- **No File Uploading**

Users can only copy and paste text in the designated area.

Plans And Pricing

- Free of charge. No premium memberships. No subscriptions available.

10. Viper

A 3-step free plagiarism detection tool with user-friendly interface.

Pros

- **100% Free**

All features are available to everyone on the Internet.

- **Extensive Plagiarism Check Range**

Your document will be checked against more than 10 billion online resources including journals, books and websites.

Cons

- **Limited Target Group**

Mostly targeted to academic students as it is widely used for evaluating student papers.

Plans And Pricing

- No subscriptions available. Entirely free platform.

Plagiarism is no mild act in the world of eLearning. Are you still unconvinced about the importance of plagiarism check platforms in eLearning? Read the article [5 Important Reasons To Use Free Plagiarism Checkers in eLearning](#) to discover some fundamental points that will demonstrate the significance of plagiarism checkers.

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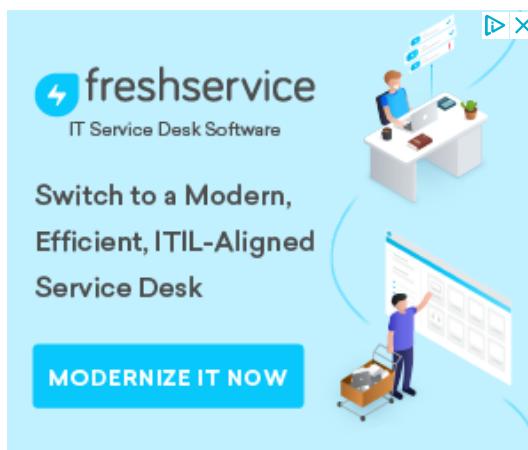
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10 AR/VR Activities For Microlearning To Add In Your Online Training Library

Augmented Reality and Virtual Reality are at the forefront of digital culture today, and arguably learning is their most important application. AR & VR are great vehicles for quickly developing skills and expanding knowledge. Is your microlearning online training library making the best use of these new technologies?



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10 Types Of AR/VR Activities For Microlearning To Add In Your Online Training Library

Microlearning improves knowledge retention and makes learning more convenient for busy employees. If knowledge and skills are best learned in chunks, then they are only as good as the quality of those chunks. AR and VR bring something truly extraordinary to an already cutting-edge idea like microlearning by providing a truly immersive and experiential learning experience that is geared for efficiency and effectiveness. The variety of [AR/VR activities for microlearning](#) grows every day as the idea gathers momentum in both corporate and educational institutions. Let's look at 10 great AR/VR activities for microlearning.

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Step Into The Screen: AR/VR Technology's Role In The Future Of eLearning

Discover all the benefits of using Augmented and Virtual Reality technologies in eLearning.

1. Onboarding Online Tours

Combine online training simulations with AR tech to enhance the immersion. Give new hires the opportunity to tour the work environment before their first day on the job. They're able to see their workstations and familiarize themselves with the facility or even interact with customer personas to build experience and learn from their mistakes.

2. Shrink-To-Size Product Demos

Employees become miniature versions of themselves so that they can explore the product in greater detail. Let them walk into your new device or view the chemical makeup of your latest cosmetic product. You can also use this approach in [safety online training](#). For example, warehouse employees can step into heavy machinery to see how it works and how to prevent work-related injuries.

3. Speaking To Thousands

Speaking in public is a difficult task for people who are not used to it, and even for some professionals. Apps like Public Speaking VR are great tools to help build confidence, experience, and practice speaking to crowds. Managers can even speak to a group of subordinates and hone their team-building and leadership skills.

4. Real-World Tasks Minus The Risks

Your staff can perform job-related tasks without having to deal with real-world repercussions. This can be used for virtually any process that pertains to their work duties, from customer returns to handling dangerous chemicals. Even seemingly mundane processes can be transformed into exciting VR demos. For example, completing a sale using the new terminals while dealing with a particularly difficult customer. In this case, the employee improves their communication skills without risking low customer satisfaction scores.

5. Practical Online Assessments

VR and AR are also great assessment tools. Invite employees to participate in AR/VR scenarios or online training simulations, then gauge their performance. Provide immediate feedback and then let them retry the online training activity to see how they improve. Better still, follow up with additional [AR/VR activities for microlearning](#) to bridge the newly found gaps.

6. Split-Second Decision-Making Scenarios

Employees are encouraged to make on-the-spot decisions while immersed in a VR branching scenario. Each response leads them down a different path and, eventually, a negative or positive outcome. Instead of merely clicking on a response, employees are able to interact with virtual characters and environments that evoke real world emotions.

7. Emergency Preparedness Online Training Tutorials

Your staff may face countless obstacles on a daily basis, as well as the occasional emergency that requires them to stay alert. An emergency preparedness VR online training tutorial gives them the power to live through the event and come out unscathed. In the process, they gain valuable experience and test their reaction to stressful situations. These online training tools are ideally suited for microlearning because they limit the pressures your employees must endure, rather than barraging them with a myriad of challenging tasks and dilemmas that cause cognitive overload and emotional strain.

8. Step Inside Skill-Based Serious Games

These [serious games](#) can feature VR elements employees can interact with in order to complete tasks and advance levels, or full-fledged VR environments that allow them to step inside true-to-life situations and challenges. While they build vital skills, employees earn badges, points, and other intangible rewards that fuel their motivation. You can even create fictional worlds filled with interesting characters to give them a good dose of entertainment. Just make certain that the fantasy-rich settings don't overshadow the subject matter.

9. Explorable eLearning Infographics

[Infographics](#) are already powerful online training resources that provide bite-sized bits of information. Thereby, improving knowledge retention and recall. However, [AR/VR activities for microlearning](#) makes them even more beneficial for your distributed workforce. Employees can literally explore the infographic firsthand and analyze each item in greater detail. For example, zoom in on the chart or graph to evaluate the relationship between the stats and facts. Or walk among the demographic map to better understand customer needs and buying habits.

10. Emotionally-Gripping Case Studies

Instead of merely presenting employees with a text-based case study, transform it into an emotionally-centered experience with the help of VR. Case studies tend to involve large quantities of data, such as statistics and profiles. Virtual reality brings the facts to life and enables employees to comprehend the series of events. They can determine how one factor or decision led to the outcome, as well as gain a better understanding of the context and how it relates to their work practices.

The possibilities that microlearning offers in combination with the ground-breaking technology of AR and VR are simply staggering. We might be the last generation to be trained in what will soon be the "old ways". AR/VR activities for microlearning allow us to remember information more rapidly and experience the knowledge firsthand. Microlearning allows us to continue to learn and grow along with a busy life, taking away some of the most common barriers of online training, by making it more accessible and bite sized.

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